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UT-054-92-02P UT054

August 4, 1992

Robert A. Prescott, Manager Inspiration Gold Incorporated Topaz Beryllium Venture P. O. Box 280 Delta, UT 84624

Dear Mr. Prescott:

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DIVISION OF OIL GAS & MINING

Your plan of operations to conduct mining related operations near Topaz Mountain in Sections 26 and 35, T. 12 S., R. 12 W., and Sections 7, 8, 17, and 18, T. 13 S., R. 12 W., SLBM was received on July 8, 1992. After initial screening your plan was found to be complete as per 43 CFR 3809.1-5 and has been assigned case file number UT-054-92-02P. Please use this number in any future correspondence concerning this plan. Pending approval of your plan of operations, your previous notices for mining related operations, serial numbers UT-054-92-02N, UT-054-92-03N and UT-054-92-03N will be administratively closed and combined into this plan.

It has been determined that our office will require an additional sixty (60) days, beginning August 7, 1992, to complete processing your plan of operations. This time frame also includes a mandatory public comment period for your plan.

We would like to set up a meeting with you or your consultants to address some technical questions that have arisen concerning your plan of operations and draft environmental assessment. This meeting will facilitate the processing of your plan and should help to eliminate any unnecessary delays in obtaining final approval. We will contact you in the near future to confirm the arrangements.

A copy of your notice has been sent to the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (DOGM); therefore, you will not have to file this notice with DOGM. Prior to the commencement of the proposed activity, all appropriate State water quality permits must be obtained from the Utah Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Water Quality, located at:

1636 West North Temple Salt Lake City, Utah 84116-3156 As required by 43 CFR 3809, Surface Management Regulations, reasonable measures must be taken to prevent unnecessary or undue degradation of public lands during your operations. Please notify this office upon completion of operations and reclamation, so an inspection may be conducted on the site. Reclamation under this notice is required to conform to the standards of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act.

Acceptance of your plan will not now, nor in the future, serve as a determination of the validity nor ownership of any mining claim included under your plan.

Thank you for submitting your plan. If you have any questions regarding this letter, please feel free to contact Christina Reid, Area Geologist and Team Leader at (801) 743-6811.

Sincerely,

Rex Rowley Area Manager

Cc: Michael Jackson, RDO
D. Wayne Hedberg, UDOGM
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July 13, 1992

Mr. Robert A. Prescott
Inspiration Gold, Incorporated
P. O. Box 280
Delta, Utah 84624

Dear Mr. Prescott:

Re: Permit Review Status, Topaz Beryllium Venture Mine, M/027/030, Millard County, Utah

On May 8, 1992, the Division received Inspiration Gold's plan for the Topaz Beryllium Venture mine. Due to a backlog of other permit reviews, the Division will not be able to complete a review of this plan within the usual 30-day timeframe. Please accept our apology for the delay and any inconvenience this may cause you.

We hope to complete our review of your application within the next 45-60 days. We appreciate your patience and understanding in this regard. Please contact me if you have questions or concerns with this proposed review schedule.

Sincerely,

D. Wayne Hedberg

Permit Supervisor

Minerals Regulatory Program

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cc:

Elliott Lips, JBR

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